



NEWS RELEASE

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I-405 FULL FREEWAY CLOSURES SCHEDULED

LOS ANGELES – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close all lanes of the southbound San Diego Freeway (I-405) from 12:01 a.m. to 4 a.m. on the following two nights:

- Wednesday, August 29, from Getty Center Drive to Wilshire Boulevard.
- Thursday, August 30, from Santa Monica Boulevard and the Santa Monica Freeway (I-10).

Detours will be posted.

The closure, to re-strip lanes, is connected to the \$50 million project to extend the High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV, or carpool) lane on southbound I-405 from Sunset Boulevard to I-10.

The project, completing in late summer, is one of several improvement projects underway on I-405 in Los Angeles County. By early 2009, when all are completed, there will be a continuous HOV lane on southbound I-405 from the San Fernando Valley to Orange County.

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